

## GALBRAITH LOSS IS HEAVY BLOW TO AMERICAN LEGION

### 'FIGHTING COLONEL' LEGION MEN HERE DIES; 2 OTHERS HURT ACT TO PERPETUATE IN AUTO ACCIDENT GALBRAITH'S NAME

M. J. Foreman and Henry Ryan Injured as Car Goes Down Embankment.

BELIEVE BAD STEERING GEAR CAUSED MISHAP

Score of National and State Officials Accompany Body to Cincinnati.

TO HOLD FUNERAL SATURDAY

Noted Ex-Soldier Will Be Buried With Full Military Honors, Flags at Half-Mast.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., June 9.—Accompanied by nearly a score of national and state officers of the American Legion, the body of Frederick W. Galbraith, Jr., was removed tonight to his home in Cincinnati, Ohio, where funeral services will be held Monday. Colonel Galbraith met his death in an automobile accident here early today. Milton J. Foreman, the legion's national committeeman from Illinois, and Henry J. Ryan, chairman of the American Legion commission of the legion, suffered injuries in the accident, but both will recover.

The three men were returning to the city from the country club in Mr. Ryan's car. The car failed to make a slight turn in the road and ran over the curb, across the sidewalk and turned over several times, landing at the foot of a twenty-foot embankment. All three men were thrown clear of the car as it went down.

Mr. Galbraith suffered a fracture of the skull in the fall and died on his way to the hospital.

Mr. Ryan, who was driving the car, declared he believed a defect in the steering apparatus caused him to lose control of the car. He and Mr. Foreman were only slightly injured.

Coroner Paul F. Robinson, who made an investigation immediately after the accident, said an examination of the wrecked machine showed a broken connection of the steering wheel.

The three men were driving to the Union Station here from the Country Club, according to Mr. Ryan, where Mr. Galbraith, accompanied by Mr. Foreman and William Q. Settiffe, adjutant of the Department of Illinois, (Continued on Page 5, Col. 1.)

### WILL RETURN TO OHIO TO FACE MURDER CHARGE

[By Associated Press.] NEW YORK, June 9.—Mrs. Eva Kaber and her 20-year-old daughter, Miss Marian McArde, late today were formally turned over to Chief of Police Christensen, of Lakewood, Ohio, to be taken back to Ohio tomorrow to face charges of first-degree murder in connection with the killing of the girl's stepfather, Dan Kaber, wealthy publisher, nearly two years ago.

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### "MIKE," SMALL U. S. WAIF, AWAITS ON WASHINGTON TO RETURN FROM BELGIUM

Shipped From Texas Aboard a Cattle Ship, He Lands in Paris With Cowboys and Proceeds to Get Lost.

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### Richmond's Population Increases to 178,175

That Richmond's population has increased 5,625 in the last twelve months is indicated by the estimate of the Hill Directory Company in the 1921 edition of the Richmond Directory, first copies of which were distributed yesterday. According to these figures, the present population of the city is 178,175. The estimate is based on an average of two and a half persons to the family and its accuracy is attested to by the Hill Directory Company's calculations last year, which closely approximated the official count of the Federal government.

This is the fifty-seventh issue of the City Directory, and it lists 71,559 names, with addresses and occupations, and has nearly 1,500 pages. It is thought that a new record will be established this year in the number distributed.

### RAIL OWNERS AND UNIONS SEEK PEACE

Second Wage Cut Hearing Winds Up in Rhetorical Love Feast.

ALL HAVE FAITH IN BOARD

Anxious to Settle Controversies for Benefit of Both Employes and Heads.

[By Associated Press.] CHICAGO, June 9.—The second wage reduction hearing before the United States Labor Board, in which more than 150 railroads asked wage cuts, wound up in a rhetorical love feast today, with representatives of both railroads and employes expressing a desire for peace and amity in the railroad industry.

Let's pull the country out of the situation it faces today, urged F. W. Sargent, counsel for the Chicago and Northwestern.

"We are anxious to settle controversies for the benefit of all. We have faith in this board. So far as this road is concerned it will obey every decision of the board, even if it takes us into the hands of the receiver."

Mr. Sargent pleaded for a more lenient stand on the eight-hour day, declaring that "no living man had ever made a success of life on eight hours a day."

Heads of the big four brotherhoods expressed their appreciation of the "spirit of co-operation" shown by Mr. Sargent and other rail representatives, and the case was concluded with the exception of a dispute over the right of the Pullman Company to appear in the hearing. Chairman Barton announced that the board would consider the Pullman application further tomorrow.

Heads of the board's decision of April 11, regarding abrogation of the so-called national agreement, marked the morning session. The board was asked to place an interpretation on the decision, and members of the American Legion, left last night for Indianapolis, Ind., the national headquarters, to attend a meeting at which plans for the funeral and other matters will be discussed. Mr. Wicker was talking over the long-distance telephone with Colonel Galbraith. (Continued on Page 5, Col. 2.)

### CHINESE SMUGGLING PLOT SPOILED BY CUBAN POLICE

[By Associated Press.] HAVANA, CUBA, June 9.—Forty Chinese, preparing to leave Guanabacoa, a suburb of Havana, in a launch for Colima, were surprised by police this morning and ten of them detained. It is asserted that they had arranged to board a sailing vessel at Colima and enter the United States by landing at some unwatched point on the Florida coast.

Hundreds of Chinese coolies, imported to work on sugar plantations, have been thrown out of employment by the ending of the 1921 harvest, and are reported ready to sacrifice everything they have to secure entrance into the United States.

### FLORIDA THEATER OWNER SHOT BY UNIDENTIFIED MEN

[By Associated Press.] DAYTONA, FLA., June 9.—Mortimer Reynolds, owner of the Seabreeze Opera House, which was destroyed by fire several days ago, was shot and seriously wounded tonight by a party of unidentified men in front of the burned theater.

The party drove up in two automobiles, and after attacking Reynolds, took him into one of the machines and carried him to Ormond, a miles away, where he was released. In addition to a pistol wound over the heart, Reynolds was severely beaten about the head. He was removed to his home in a critical condition. The wounded man said he did not know the reason for the mob's action.

### SPIRIT PRISONERS AWAY TO PREVENT A LYNCHING

[By Associated Press.] CHATTANOOGA, TENN., June 9.—A telephone message from Trenton, Ga., tonight reported that because of the danger of a mob bent on lynching Deputy Sheriff Ward Page for killing Chester Daniel last Saturday, and Deputy Van Moore for the killing of his cousin, John Moore, Sunday, the two officers had been taken to Dalton for safety.

The information from the Georgia was the effect that friends of the two dead men to the number of 500 were organized to storm the residence of Sheriff Holmes, where the prisoners have been confined since the killing.

Promotion for Colonel Callan. WASHINGTON, June 9.—Selection of Colonel Robert E. Callan, coast artillery corps, to succeed the late Brigadier-General John W. Ruckman as chief of the first coast artillery district, with headquarters at Boston, was announced today by Secretary Weeks.

## PASTOR DENIES GIRL FACED CHURCH TRIAL ON DANCING CHARGE

Woodland Heights Baptist Minister Shocked at Story Miss Priddy Would Be Disciplined as Result of Reception at Governor's Mansion.

Vigorous denial of a story printed yesterday (but not by The Times-Dispatch or The Evening Dispatch), to the effect that Miss Julia Priddy, who received her diploma last night from the John Marshall High School, was to be tried by the congregation of the Woodland Heights Baptist Church on the charge of dancing at a reception given by Governor and Mrs. Davis to the senior class of the high school, was made last night in a resolution adopted by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Guntion, and deacons of the church.

The resolution, brought to The Times-Dispatch by Mr. Guntion and two of the deacons, follows: "Whereas, our attention has been called to a very shocking statement in glaring headlines, involving our pastor and one of our finest young women workers in the church and Sunday school; and

Whereas, it came after one of the most harmonious, largely attended and deeply spiritual prayer meetings, with monthly business meetings following after;

Therefore be it resolved, that we make a statement as follows: "Neither the name of Miss Julia Priddy nor any other name has been before the church for dancing."

"No person has ever recommended that she or any other member should be expelled for dancing. "No meeting was called Thursday evening for any purpose. "The monthly meeting of the church was held on Wednesday evening.

### 4,000 ACCORD OVATION TO MISS JULIA PRIDDY

Auditorium Audience Pays Her Great Tribute as She Receives John Marshall Diploma.

BICKETT ADDRESSES CLASS

Former North Carolina Governor Stirs Thrill That Packs Building to See 234 Graduated—Will Speak Again Tonight.

Four thousand people gave Miss Julia Priddy an ovation that lasted several minutes as the 18-year-old Woodland Heights girl walked across the platform last night at the City Auditorium to receive her diploma from the John Marshall High School.

It had been reported that Miss Priddy on this, the greatest night of her life, would face trial by the congregation of her church on the charge of dancing, and the sympathy of the big audience went out to the slender figure in white.

At that very hour the pastor and deacons were meeting to deny the story and to pay a tribute to the worth of the little high school girl as a faithful worker in all causes in which the church is interested. So, after all, it was a great moment for Miss Priddy, when Chairman W. Floyd Beams, of the City School Board, gave her the diploma she had won by four years of study.

Bickett Means "Efficiency." Thomas W. Bickett, ex-Governor of North Carolina, declared in opening his address to the graduating class, which numbered 234. Mr. Bickett was the principal speaker at the commencement exercises, at which time he offered many suggestions with regard to the value of education to the young person. It was also made clear that education was not a badge nor a uniform, but a tool and good equipment.

The rafters of the Auditorium shook with applause when Mr. Bickett stated that "any educational system that fails to recognize the primal necessity must either die or be born again. I am not making the dollar measure the man, but am saying that it is the imperative duty of the state to provide for the education of every child."

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### JOHN AKIN BRANCH'S MARRIAGE IN WEST IS SURPRISE TO FRIENDS

Son of Richmond Banker Claims Mrs. Boyeson as Bride at Redwood City, Cal.

News was received in Richmond yesterday of the marriage of John Akin Branch, son of John Kerr Branch, of this city, and Mrs. Marian Stovel Boyeson, of San Francisco. Surprise was expressed by relatives and friends that the marriage should have taken place at this time, although it was known that the couple were engaged and that the wedding ceremony was to have been performed at some time in the near future.

Mr. Branch's mother, who is in the city, stated that her son and his bride would make their home in Richmond, but that they would spend their honeymoon at the Branch country home, in Dutchess County, N. Y. John Kerr Branch and his daughter are now at the country home, and it was said yesterday that John Akin Branch and his bride were on their way. The marriage took place at Redwood City, Cal., on Tuesday, the couple leaving immediately for the East to join Mr. Branch, the elder, and Miss Branch in New York.

Judge Rules in Favor of Husband of Peggy Hopkins Joyce.

[By Associated Press.] CHICAGO, June 9.—Attorneys for Peggy Hopkins Joyce, actress, who is suing her millionaire husband, J. Stanley Joyce, for \$100,000 a year alimony, today lost their fight to obtain money from Joyce to investigate his conduct since his marriage.

The attorneys for Mrs. Joyce contended her husband had spent a considerable sum investigating her conduct abroad, and asked an equal amount for a similar inquiry into the husband's past. Judge Sabath ruled Joyce's expenditures were a personal matter and could not be inquired into in court.

Joyce, placed on the witness stand, testified his fortune had been reduced to \$2,995,000 by the expenditure of more than \$1,000,000 for jewelry, clothes, automobiles and a Southern home for his bride.

C. & O. Excursions every Sunday. \$2.50 round trip to Old Point, Buckroe and Norfolk. \$2.55 Willoughby and Ocean View—Ad.

### Must Have Permit to Send Bouquet to His Girl

NEW ORLEANS, June 9.—New Orleans police have been instructed to stop all flowers on their way to best girls or friends' funerals and ascertain if they have a permit. If not they don't go. Outraged florists will meet tomorrow night to protest.

The police action was ordered as a part of Federal and State war upon the camphor scale, which threatens to destroy much of the vegetation in this region. Orders for flower inspection were issued by Government Entomologist E. R. Barber and State Entomologist W. E. Anderson. Even the wear of a buttonhole bouquet must have in his pocket a certificate that his nosegay is free from the insect pest.

The florist meeting is to be held in the largest nursery here. The flower growers claim that under the ruling, which is based upon an ancient law, their business would be ruined.

### 2 FLYERS KILLED IN AIR MISHAP

Private Mulligan, Parachute Jumper at Langley Field, Loses Life.

FALLS IN RIVER; DROWNS

Lieutenant Brown Dies as Marine Corps Airplane Plunges Into the Potomac.

[By Associated Press.] HAMPTON, VA., June 9.—Private Thomas J. Mulligan, parachute jumper, at Langley Field, lost his life this afternoon when his parachute was caught in an adverse wind current within a few feet of the ground and he was carried into Back River, and drowned.

His body was recovered soon after the fall, but every effort of surgeons to effect restoration proved futile.

Mulligan left the field in a De Havilland plane about 4 o'clock and made his jump from an altitude of 2,000 feet. To spectators on the field it appeared that his landing would be made safely within the confines of the flying station, but when he neared the ground his direction was reversed and he was seen to be traveling in the direction of the river.

In an effort to control his landing, the plane released a second parachute but failed to touch land and fell in mid-river.

Boats in the vicinity reported having mistaken the falling parachute for a bomb exploding in the water and no effort was made to reach Mulligan until men from the field manned small boats and went to his rescue.

Major William N. Hensley appointed a board to investigate the accident and will make an official report to Washington.

Drowns in the Potomac. WASHINGTON, June 9.—A United States Marine Corps airplane fell in the Potomac River off Annapolis Beach, Va., this morning and Lieutenant E. Brown, pilot, was killed. The Navy Department was advised. Sergeant Dugby, who was in the plane, was rescued.

Brown's body has not been recovered.

### 4 HURT, 2 HORSES KILLED, IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] WINCHESTER, VA., June 9.—One horse was killed outright and another so badly injured that it had to be shot, while two young white women and two negro women were wounded and bruised as a large automobile driven by Ray Mattison, crashing into a carriage driven by a negro, north of town last night.

Mattison said he turned sharply to avoid striking the car parked along the roadside, and did not see the carriage. He and Douglas Spillman, who was with him, were unhurt, but their companions, Misses Helen Montgomery and Florence Galloway, were brought to the hospital here. The two negro women were attended at home by a doctor.

### SHIP STRUCK BY ICEBERG ASKS FOR SPEEDY HELP

ST. JOHNS, N. F., June 9.—The American freight steamer Charles, which struck an iceberg about 200 miles off the Newfoundland coast last night, reported that the water had reached the fire room and asked the nearest steamer to stand by.

Ships in Crash off Havana. HAVANA, June 9.—The American schooner Elizabeth Ruth, which was in collision with the steamer Silver State about seventy miles from Havana Wednesday morning, reached Havana harbor this afternoon. Her bow was damaged and the job-boom is missing. Some anxiety had been felt because of her nonarrival last night. The Elizabeth Ruth was bound for Mobile from New York with lumber.

Pollman Textiles in Murder Case. FLORENCE, ALA., June 9.—I have done what I wanted to do; let them do what they want to do with me. Pollman Textiles, the officer who arrested F. V. Vid, sent on the morning of May 17 for the murder of his wife on Sunday, May 15, said today to him the morning of his arrest. This statement was made on the witness stand in Sooy's trial for murder here today.

## WASHINGTON ACTS FOR QUICK PROBE OF SIMS' SPEECH

### REAR-ADMIRAL SIMS IS RETICENT OVER HIS LONDON SPEECH SENATE DIRECTS NAVY COMMITTEE TO GET ALL FACTS

Wife of Navy Man Puts Brake on Interviews With Correspondents.

AMERICAN SEA FIGHTER ACCLAIMED BY BRITISH

Is Guest of Parliamentary Naval Committee of House of Commons.

By A. E. Johnson, United News Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, June 9.—A determined little woman has taken control of a situation which has all but developed into an "international incident" here.

The woman is Mrs. Sims, wife of Rear-Admiral William S. Sims, who stirred things up in Washington by his reference to American Irish sympathizers as "asses" in a London speech. Mrs. Sims is chiefly responsible for the admiral's reticence during the past twenty-four hours.

Following the news that Secretary Denby had called on Mrs. Sims for an explanation of his quoted speech, and reports that Sims might be recalled from his leave here, correspondents began flocking to the Carlton, where the admiral and Mrs. Sims are stopping. The correspondents are received by the admiral, but Mrs. Sims is always present, and just at the moment when Sims reaches the point of voicing some of his views on the Irish, Mrs. Sims intervenes.

The admiral was quoted from one source Thursday as saying that he would, "if necessary," but it was later stated that this statement was not authorized.

Will Sail for Home June 15. Admiral Sims is scheduled to sail for home June 15 aboard the Olympic. It was impossible for him to secure accommodations prior to this date. Consequently, if Secretary Denby should feel inclined to call Sims home because of his utterances, the order would have little effect, as the admiral could not sail earlier than the date already arranged.

Sims is frankly not attempting an attack. He may be stated that he considers himself correctly quoted, although he is disdainful toward the press in general.

In his English union speech he insinuated repeatedly that the press was irresponsible and often untruthful.

Officials of the British Foreign Office are intensely amused over the furor the admiral's speech has stirred up. They recall similar incidents in which the situation created by Sims' "blond and thicker than water" speech, and smile.

While correspondents were questioning Admiral Sims this afternoon, (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5.)

### POSTPONE EXECUTION OF SIX ELAINE NEGROES

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., June 9.—The State Supreme Court has today refused to grant an immediate writ of prohibition against orders of the local Chancery Court holding up execution of six Elaine negroes who were to have been electrocuted tomorrow morning; instead the court granted the appeal of the negroes' attorneys for a postponement until Monday to give them an opportunity to prepare defense.

Tennessee School Gets \$50,000 Gift. MARYVILLE, TENN., June 9.—Gifts of \$50,000 from the General Education Board, and of \$50,000 from the Carnegie Foundation, conditional upon the raising of a total and of \$250,000 within three years, were announced by President Samuel T. Wilson today at the one hundred and second annual commencement of Maryville College.

### SWEDISH MAIDS AND COOKS BY HUNDREDS APPLYING FOR PASSPORTS TO OLD HOMES

Deputy Clerk in U. S. Court at Chicago Declares They Come in Bunches of 50 and 100—Some Are Well Dressed and Others Poorly Attired.

By Alexander F. Jones, United News Staff Correspondent.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Poor little Hilda!

Passing the portals of Ellis Island and leaving all but the memories of dear old Sweden behind her, she grips the bundle of old-fashioned clothes in one red-knuckled hand, tightens the old family shawl about her face with the other, and flees to the great American kitchen, there to toil and to slave—and to jolly the iceman and break dishes.

A pitiful figure is Hilda, and many touching little pieces typed in her behalf have touched the heartstrings where they are the toughest.

But did you ever see her on the way back?

Sweet cookie! Let me take you by the hand.

Forty Hildas were in the office of Thomas Sell, deputy clerk in the United States Court here, Thursday applying for passports back to Sweden, to Germany, to Latvia, to where-not. There were also the wives of a few millionaires, ambitious to spend the summer at Deauville or on the Riviera.

It was hard to pick out the Hildas from the million-dollar wives, except that they were better dressed. Nifty street frocks, smart little hats with that touch that spells money, silk stockings.

"Look them over and say good-by."

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